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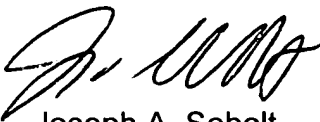
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Upon further review of Amendment A mailed to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on May 8, 2000, it was noticed that the date was inadvertently left blank next to the Attorney's signature. The Combined Amendment & Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity) was signed and dated correctly. Please find a dated copy of the Amendment enclosed. We apologize for any inconvenience this may have caused.

Respectfully submitted at Canton, Ohio, this 9 day of May, 2000

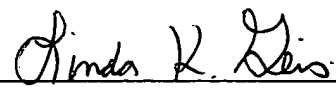
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